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SUBJ: OREGON STATE UNIV INDIGENOUS AFRICAN ARCHITECTURE  
STUDY PROJECT IN MALI

1. PROF. DE DEURWAERDER, OSU ARCHITECTURE DEPT. (503)754-2606,  
SENT EMBASSY COPY LETTER ADDRESSED MALI EMBASSY WASHINGTON  
ASKING COOPERATION BUS, LAND ROVER, ACCOMODATIONS ARRANGEMENTS  
FOR 20-MEMBER STUDENT STUDY TEAM IN DOGON AREA OF MALI  
JULY 18-27. LETTER REVEALS GROSS IGNORANCE CONDITIONS HERE,  
I.E., HIGH COSTS, DISTANCES, POOR ACCOMODATIONS, INACCESSIBILITY  
OF AREA IN RAINY SEASON, PRIOR APPROVAL MIN EDUCATION DIVISION  
SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH, ETC.

2. EMBASSY REQUESTS KNOWLEDGEABLE DEPARTMENT OFFICER CALL DE  
DEURWAERDER SUGGESTING HE CABLE SMERT (SOCIETE MALIENNE  
D'EXPLOITATION DES RESSOURCES TOURISTIQUES, B.P. 222, BAMAKO,  
TEL: 239-41, TO SEEK THEIR ASSISTANCE MAKING NECESSARY ARRANGE-  
MENTS IF THEY DECIDE GO THROUGH WITH TRIP. EMBASSY WILL APPRISE  
MIN ED SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH DIVISION OF PLANS, AND SEPARATE  
LETTER HAS ALSO BEEN SENT DIRECTLY TO OSU.

3. DE DEURWAERDER PLANS DEPART CORVALLIS JUNE 12 AND MUST BE  
APPRISED OF CONDITIONS. ALSO ADVISE THAT PHOTO PERMITS RE-  
QUIRED FOR ANYONE TAKING PICTURES. FACILITATIVE ASSISTANCE  
FROM THIS ALREADY OVERBURDENED MISSION WILL BE MINIMAL.  
NUMEROUS OFFICERS ON VACATION DURING PERIOD. ADVISE REACTION.  
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